IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
MATHIAS FIBI et al.) PRIOR APPLICATION
Serial No.: Not Assigned) Group Art Unit: 1806
Filed: July 17, 1997) Examiner: T. Scheiner
For: ERYTHROPOIETIN (EPO) PEPTIDES AND ANTIBODIES DIRECTED AGAINST THESE)))
Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

! Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 3, line 32, delete "142" and insert therefor -- 138--.

Page 8, line 13, delete "P2-Sepharose" and insert therefor --P2- SEPHAROSE resin--.

Page 10, line 11, delete "Sepharose" and insert therefor -- SEPHAROSE--.

Page 10, line 12, delete "Sepharose" and insert therefor -- SEPHAROSE

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